

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

September 30, 2005

Alan E. Molotsky, Treasurer
To Protect Our Heritage Political Action Committee
2421 W. Pratt
Chicago, IL 60645

Response Due Date: October 31, 2005

Identification Number:

C00135541

Reference:

Mid-Year Report (01/01/05-06/30/05)

Dear Mr. Molotsky:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Schedule A of your report discloses one or more contributions totaling \$5,000.00 from Temple Beth El, which appears to be a corporation(s). 2 U.S.C. §441b(a) prohibits the receipt of contributions from corporations unless made from a separate segregated fund established by the corporation.

If any apparently prohibited contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

If you have received a prohibited contribution(s), you may have to make a refund. If within 30 days of receipt you (1) transferred the prohibited amount to an account not used to influence federal elections, and (2) provided written notice to the person making the contribution of the option of receiving a refund, you may retain the contribution in an account not used to influence federal elections. Any request from a donor for a refund must be honored.

If the foregoing conditions for transfers to a non-federal account were not met within 30 days of receipt, the prohibited amount must be refunded. See 11 CFR §103.3(b)(1).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for any transfer-out or refund. In addition, any transfers-out or refunds should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 22 or 28 of the report covering the period during which the transaction was made.

Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the acceptance of a prohibited contribution, prompt action by your committee to transfer-out or refund the amount will be taken into consideration.

-Your report discloses Coordinated Expenditures on Schedule F supporting Line 25 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please note that Coordinated Expenditures are made by National and State party committees on behalf of their candidates in connection with the general election. Non-party committees may not make Coordinated Expenditures on behalf of federal candidates. Please amend your report to clarify the nature of these expenditures and report them as either an in-kind contribution to each federal candidate on Schedule B supporting Line 23 or as an Independent Expenditure on Schedule E supporting Line 24 of the Detailed Summary Page.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1139.

Sincerely,

Karen E. Trainer

Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division

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